

Curriculum Vitae of **Lloyd W. Young**

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Summary

Current owner and operator of an alarm systems company with approximately 200 customers, and over forty-one years of experience in alarm systems design, installation, service and repair. Currently licensed by the Texas Department of Public Safety (DPS) as a Qualified Manager of a Security and Private Investigations company. The Qualified Manager license authorizes the holder to manage the company as well as perform all of the tasks within an alarm systems or investigations company such as performing investigative services as well as selling, designing, installing and servicing of electronic security systems. Currently licensed by the Texas Fire Marshal's Office as an Alarm Planning Superintendent (APS). The APS designation allows for the design of life safety systems for commercial and residential buildings, as well as perform all the duties of a licensed fire alarm technician. Co-author of "*Electronic Security Guidelines for Schools*" as a subject matter expert for the Electronic Security Association (ESAweb.org). Alarm instructor in training for ESA (esaweb.org) Expert Witness in litigation involving alarm systems; the application of the law as it pertains to electronic life safety systems, common practices and procedures. Alarm Monitoring practices, expectations and applications as viewed from the alarm systems company including the safeguards that are mandated by the city, county, state, or federal regulating authorities. An insightful resource for common practices and industry methods in the life safety, security and low voltage businesses. Specifically skilled in Infant Security Systems, Fire Alarm and Life Safety Systems, Access Control, Dementia/Elopement Prevention Alarms, Nurse Call Systems, Cameras and Alarms.

Present Activities

SECURAC, Inc.,

September 2001 – present

Qualified Manager

Security Systems Expert

Electronic Systems Expert

Fire Alarm

Life Safety Systems

Elopement Prevention Systems

Infant Security

Access Control

Video Systems

Fire Alarm Planning Superintendent

Private Investigator;

Criminal Defense

Criminal Activity Detection

Accident/Theft Event Documentation and Photography

Post-Fire forensics (alarm)

Post-Event Video Recovery

Expert Witness;

March 2007 – present

The legal and the common practices of an electronic systems company.

Instructor;

Fire Marshal education on Fire Alarm Systems.

Related Past Experiences

Malco Solutions, Inc., Qualified Manager	July 2014 – August 2017
Iron Horse Access Control, Qualified Manager	October 2014 – February 2017
API Systems Group; Qualified Manager, Security Division \$40 Million/year Fire Systems Company	October 2012 – October 2013
TRUBOLD Security; Qualified Manager	May 2007 – June 2014
NEZCOM; Qualified Manager	August 2003 – November 2006
STRATESEC, LLC; Project Manager	October 1999 – September 2001
SecurityLink; Team Leader Fire Alarm Service Technician	April 1999 - October 1999
MATRIX Systems of Ohio Project Manager, UT Police Department	October 1997 – December 1998
Entergy Security Commercial Sales Director Technical Manager	May 1997 – October 1997
ADT Security, Inc. Residential Installer Commercial Sales	July 1995 – May 1997
Foley's Loss Prevention Investigator Store Detective	November 1988 – July 1995
Keyless Alarm Systems Owner/operator Alarm Systems Installer	November 1988 – July 1995
Cooper Security Alarm Installer	June 1988 – November 1988

Related Past Experiences (continued)

United States Air Force & USAF Reserve March 1985 – June 1996
Fire Protection Specialist

Alarms By Lloyd April 1982 – June 1988
Owner/operator
Car Alarm Systems Installer

Education

DeVry Institute of Electronics October 1984 – February 1985
Electronics and Applied Science 4.0GPA

USAF Fire Training School March 1985 – July 1988
Fire Protection Specialist
Structural Firefighting
Aerospace Vehicle Firefighting
Fire Protection Supervisor
Crash Rescue Specialist
HAZMAT Response
Dispatch, Alarms and Communication
Fire Alarm Inspection

Captain Clint Peoples Law Enforcement Academy - April 30, 1990
Texas Peace Officer Licensing Course

NHMCCC - October 6, 1995
EMT, EMT Intermediate, EMT-Paramedic

ESA
Certified Alarm Technician (CAT) Level II April 24, 2022
Advanced Intrusion Systems February 23, 2022
Life Safety Code March 23, 2022
Certified Alarm Technician Level I April 5, 2022
Certified Fire Alarm Technician Level II April 5, 2022
Professional Fire Alarm Design Level III September 17, 2015
Fire Alarm Installation Methods March 7, 2022

TBFAA ongoing 15-30 CEU hours annually

Volunteer Services

SPCA of East Texas August 2012 – August 2017
Animal Abuse Investigator

Civil Air Patrol, 1st Lt. May 2007 – present
Public Affairs Officer
Pilot

Cypress Creek EMS June 1988 – January 1996
911 Paramedic

Hargrove v. Boxer

March 28, 2007, Office Building fire. Three Fatalities. **Retained by plaintiff** through the investigative company Clayton and Associates vs. Property Owner, fire alarm company and the alarm monitoring company. Initial system evaluation, component removal and storage. **The plaintiff received a settlement.**

Sanders v. Lynntodd

January 3, 2011, Private residence fire. Two fatalities. **Retained by plaintiff** through the investigative company Clayton and Associates vs. The home builder, the alarm installer and the alarm monitoring company. Witness location services. Witness interviews. Testimony at Deposition. Attorney education about residential alarm systems and smoke detection systems, design, installation, service and monitoring practices. **The plaintiff received a settlement.**

Estate of Samuel Hall v. Cloudbreak Houston, LLC

January 04, 2013, Veteran Housing Facility fire. One fatality. **Retained by plaintiff** through the law offices of Packham & Martin, PLLC vs. The property managers, the fire alarm system designer, the system installer, service company and alarm monitoring company. **The plaintiff received a settlement.**

Tony Escamilla vs. Firetrol

January 08, 2015, Multiple fatality high-rise apartment building fire. **Retained by the plaintiff** through the plaintiff's lawyer Paula Wyatt and via the investigative company Clayton and Associates. Assessed the fire alarm system in place and rendered an expert opinion concerning the state of the system, the inspection practices of the company. **Deposition taken twice.** Successfully answered a **Daubert Motion** via a Zoom court appearance. **The plaintiff received a settlement.**

Jackson Walker LLC

March 10, 2016, Security Access Control systems installation contract challenge. **Retained by defendant** through the law offices of Jackson Walker LLP to investigate and render an opinion on the defendant's electronic system installation practices in a contract dispute with one of their customers. The defendant reached a settlement with the plaintiff after this investigator examined the electronic system installation and submitted his findings. **The case was settled before trial.**

Ringley vs. neighbor

November 30, 2017, **Retained by the plaintiff**; an individual and his wife, seeking the court's relief from his next door neighbor aiming cameras into the plaintiff's waterfront residential property. During this investigation, it was discovered that one of the cameras had a powerful infrared emitter and zoom lens that afforded the viewer a full screen image of the plaintiff's

upstairs rear master bedroom sliding glass door and the bedroom beyond. Using this investigator's photos, measurements and equipment identification findings, **plaintiff received a favorable ruling from the court.**

Visionary Systems, Inc vs. Alta Construction Management

April 01, 2019, Fire alarm systems installer sues construction company for payment.

Retained by the plaintiff to investigate the fire alarm system in a six-building complex and give findings that determine the plaintiff's true investment in the systems' installation and verify or refute the defendant's claims of having the system installed after the buildings were complete. **Deposition. The plaintiff received a settlement.**

The State of Texas vs. A.J. Armstrong

September 19, 2019, Double homicide. **Retained by defendant** as a consulting expert to evaluate and testify to the burglar alarm system components, arrangement and installation, and to the monitoring activity records from the night of the murders. The defense immediately discontinued this engagement after this investigator examined the electronic system records and submitted his findings. **The defendant has had two mistrials and is currently set for a change of venue for a third trial.**

Camille Hojnaki vs. Alarm Security & Contracting

April 13, 2023, Jewelry store robbery. **Retained by the plaintiff** to assess the alarm company's security system installation, methods and practices, and to examine and testify to the alarm company's failure to dispatch Law Enforcement during the subsequent burglary and substantial loss to the plaintiff. **Deposition. Testimony in court. The jury found for the plaintiff.**

Current Engagement

August 18, 2021, Homicide of a law enforcement officer responding to an alarm dispatch. **Retained by the defense** in the criminal proceedings against the homeowner and **retained by the plaintiff** (same client) as an alarm systems expert in the homeowner's civil matters vs. the alarm company. **This is an ongoing case.**